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USES OF INHIBITORS FOR THE ACTIVATION OF CXCR4

RECEPTOR BY SDF-1 IN TREATING RHEUMATOID

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COMMUNICATION TO CORRECT ERRORS IN FILING RECEIPT

This Communication is filed to request the issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt in connection with the above-identified application. Upon receipt of the official Filing Receipt for the subject application, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, applicants' undersigned attorney noticed several errors.

Specifically, the names of the second-named and third-named inventors are incorrect, and the numbers of independent claims is incorrect for the subject application.

The applicants' names on a corrected Filing Receipt should read as follows:

--ROBERT J. WINCHESTER; TETSUNORI SEKI; PERCIO GULKO--

Also, the number of independent claims should read 3 instead of 4.

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Applicants contend that the correct names of the inventors may be found in the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed on June 19, 2000 in response to an April 25, 2000 Notice To File Missing Parts of Application. A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached hereto as Exhibit B. Accordingly, applicants request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents. Washington, D.C. 20231.

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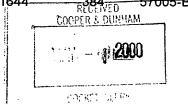
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Title

Uses of inhibitors for the activation of cxcr4 receptor by sdf-1 in treating rheumatoid arthritis

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